

Mathematics	Group-I	PAPER: I
Time: 30 Minutes	(OBJECTIVE TYPE)	Marks: 20

Note: Four possible answers, A, B, C and D to each question are given. The choice which you think is correct, fill that circle in front of that question with Marker or Pen ink in the answer-book. Cutting or filling two or more circles will result in zero mark in that question.

1-1- The number of roots of polynomial equation $8x^6 - 19x^3 - 27 = 0$ are:
 (a) 2 (b) 4
 (c) 6 ✓ (d) 8

2- For an infinite geometric series of which $|r| < 1$, we have $S_\infty =$:
 (a) $\frac{a(1+r)}{1-r}$ (b) $\frac{a}{1+r}$
 (c) $\frac{a}{2r}$ (d) $\frac{a}{1-r}$ ✓

3- The property used in $(a+1) + \frac{3}{4} = a + \left(1 + \frac{3}{4}\right)$ is:
 (a) Closure (b) Associative ✓
 (c) Commutative (d) Additive

4- If $a_{n-3} = 2n - 5$, then 7th term is =:
 (a) 9 (b) 15 ✓
 (c) 11 (d) 13

5- The converse of $p \rightarrow q$ is:
 (a) $\sim p \rightarrow q$ (b) $p \rightarrow \sim q$
 (c) $q \rightarrow p$ ✓ (d) $\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$

6- Partial fraction of $\frac{1}{x^2 - 1}$ will be of the form:
 (a) $\frac{Ax + B}{x^2 - 1}$ (b) $\frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{x-1}$ ✓
 (c) $\frac{A}{x+1}$ (d) $\frac{B}{x-1}$

7- When $p(x) = x^3 + 4x^2 - 2x + 5$ is divided by $(x - 1)$, then remainder is:

(a) 10 (b) -10
(c) 8 ✓ (d) -8

8- If $\begin{vmatrix} k & 4 \\ 4 & k \end{vmatrix} = 0$, then value of k is:

(a) ± 16 (b) 0
(c) ± 4 ✓ (d) ± 8

9- If H is H.M. between a and b, then $H =$:

(a) $\frac{2ab}{a+b}$ ✓ (b) $\frac{a+b}{2ab}$
(c) $\frac{a+b}{2}$ (d) $\pm \sqrt{ab}$

10- The trivial solution of the homogeneous linear equation in three variables is:

(a) $(0, 0, 0)$ ✓ (b) $(1, 0, 0)$
(c) $(0, 1, 0)$ (d) $(0, 0, 1)$

11- The period of $3 \cos\left(\frac{x}{5}\right)$ is:

(a) π (b) 10π ✓
(c) $\frac{\pi}{10}$ (d) $\frac{\pi}{5}$

12- The factorial of a positive integer 'n' is:

(a) $n! = n(n-1)!(n-2)!$ (b) $n! = n(n+2)!$
(c) $n! = n(n-1)!$ ✓ (d) $n! = n(n-2)!$

13- The solution of $1 + \cos x = 0$ if $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ is equal to:

(a) $\{0\}$ (b) $\left\{\frac{\pi}{2}\right\}$
(c) $\left\{\frac{\pi}{3}\right\}$ (d) $\{\pi\}$ ✓

14- $\cos 48^\circ + \cos 12^\circ =$:

(a) $2 \cos 30^\circ \cos 18^\circ$ ✓ (b) $3 \cos 18^\circ$
(c) $\sqrt{3} \cos 18^\circ$ (d) $\sqrt{2} \cos 18^\circ$

15- $\sec \left[\cos^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) \right] =$:

(a) $\frac{1}{2}$

(b) 2 ✓

(c) $\frac{\pi}{3}$

(d) $\frac{\pi}{6}$

16- The middle term in expansion of $(a + x)^n$ when n is even:

(a) $\left(\frac{n}{2} + 1\right)$ th term ✓ (b) $\left(\frac{n}{2} - 1\right)$ th term.

(c) $\left(\frac{n}{2}\right)$ th term (d) $\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)$ th term

17- $\frac{9\pi}{5}$ rad in degree measure is:

(a) 321° (b) 322°
(c) 323° (d) 324° ✓

18- If Δ is the area of a triangle ABC, then $\Delta =$:

(a) $\frac{1}{2} bc \sin \beta$ (b) $\frac{1}{2} ab \sin \alpha$
(c) $\frac{1}{2} bc \sin \alpha$ ✓ (d) $ab \sin \alpha$

19- In anti-clockwise direction, $\frac{1}{4}$ rotation is equal to:

(a) 90° ✓ (b) 180°
(c) 270° (d) 45°

20- With usual notations, the value of $a + b + c$ is:

(a) s (b) $2s$ ✓
(c) $3s$ (d) $\frac{s}{2}$